CHITALDRUG DISTRICT.

Notification dated 23rd November 1916.

It is hereby notified that the right to cut and remove the timber and fuel trees in the undermentioned coupes of the State Forests of the Chitaldrug District during the year 1916-17, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or by the Range Forest Officer deputed for the purpose, on the dates and at places noted hereunder :—

The sale will commence at 12 noon precisely on each day and will be subject to the confirmation of the District Forest Officer.

Name of range	Name of forest	Name of working circle	Coupe No.	Area of coupes in acres (to be felled)	Place of sale	Date of sale
Holalkere ...	Nirthadi ...	Nirthadi ...	1, 10, 11	117 each ...	Holalkere ...	5th December 1916.
			4	50 acres ...		
			6	17 acres ...		
		Kenchamarnahalli, W. C.	3	27 acres ...		
			4	67 acres ...		
			6 and 9	117 acres each ...		
		Rampura, W. C.	1 to 5, 7 to 9 and 11.	117 acres each ...		
			6	97 acres ...		
			10	47 acres ...		
		Tyagadahalli, W. C.	1, 2, 4 to 11	117 acres each ...		
			3	67 acres ...		
		Palya, W. C. ...	1 to 11	107 acres each ...		
	Devaragudda ...	Lokadolalu, W. C.	1 to 9	101 acres each ...		
		Devargudda ...	1 to 9	122 acres each ...		
		Kallahalli ...	1 to 9	112 acres each ...		
		Gaibenahalli ...	1, 2, 4 to 9	112 acres each ...		
			3	87 acres ...		
	Malebennur ...	Eastern, W. C....	1 to 3, 6 to 9, 11 and 13.	117 acres each ...	Malebennur...	8th December 1916.
			4	67 acres ...		
			5	90 acres ...		
			10	47 acres ...		
		Western, W. C.	2 to 12	117 acres each ...		
			1	67 acres ...		
	Gargakaval ...	Gargakaval ...	1 to 9	71 acres each ...	Holalkere ...	5th December 1916.
Chitaldrug ...	Rangiandurga ...	A block (Magadi, W. C.)	1 to 9	48 acres each ...	Jagalur ...	12th December 1916.
		Talwar Kariyappanahalli, W. C.	1 to 9	64 acres each ...		
		Gurusiddapur ...	1 to 9	64 acres each ...		
		Rakshagudda ...	2 to 9	107 acres each ...		
			1	82 acres each		
		Tarchalli, W. C.	1 to 9	117 acres each ...		
		Sreeramnabande	1 to 9 execute	117 acres each ...		
			5	82 acres ...		
		Rangiandurga ...	1 to 9	117 acres each ...		
	Bevinahalli ...	South Circle ...	1 to 6	42⅝ acres each ...	Bharmasagar.	15th December 1916.
Marikanave ...	Marikanave ...	Marikanave ...	8	120 acres ...	Marikanave...	18th December 1916.
			11 and 12	Total 140 acres...		
		Utare ...	7	120 acres ...		
			5 and 6	169 acres ...		
		Vagra ...	8	105 acres ...		
			6 and 7	80 acres ...		
		Haldyamanahalli	11 and 12	105 acres each ...		
		Kesappanahalli	8 and 12	105 acres each ...		
		Jelladakere ...	11 and 12	105 acres each ...		
		Arasingundi ...	8	105 acres ...		
			6 and 7	190 acres ...		
		Ulavinahal ...	7	105 acres ...		
			5 and 6	190 acres ...		
	Lakkihalli ...	Kenkere ...	9	118 acres ...		
			7 and 8	136 acres ...		
		Lakkihalli ...	9 and 10	118 acres each ...		
		Madihalli ...	6	85 acres ...		
			4 and 5	Each 120 acres...		
		Gownahalli ...	12, 9 and 11	105 acres each ...		
		Kolal ...	4, 6 and 7	118 acres each ...		
		Gulihosalli ...	12	106 acres ...		
			9, 10, 11	318 acres total...	Budihal ...	20th December 1916.
	Swarnamukhi ...	Bhutanagudi ...	4	102 acres ...		
			3	100 acres ...		
	Kudrekanve ...	Kenchipura ...	9	105 acres ...		
			6, 7 and 8	Total 354 acres...		
		Bukhasagar ...	10, 11, 12 and 13.	105 acres each ...		
		Kadavagere ...	8, 9, 10, 11	135 acres each ...		
		Tamadihalli ...	6, 7, 8, 9	105 acres each ...		
Molakalmuru ...	Hiresadavi ...	Hiresadavi, W. C.	9	92 acres ...	Molakalmuru.	23rd December 1916.
			10	114 acres ...		
		Devaragudda ...	9	107 acres ...		
			10	107 acres ...		

2. Each bidder shall deposit a sum of Rs. 50 as earnest money before he is permitted to bid, which will be returned to him at the close of the sale, if his bid be not accepted and at the termination of the sale period, if the sale be accepted.

3. The District Forest Officer reserves to himself the power of accepting or rejecting any bid without assigning any reason therefor.

4. The accepted bidder shall deposit a further sum of Rs. 50 within a week from the date on which the confirmation of the sale is intimated to him and shall execute an agreement accepting the terms specified below, failing which the deposit already placed will be forfeited to Government and the produce resold at the risk of original purchaser who will be liable for loss but not entitle to any profits thereon.

(*a*) That he binds himself to fell and remove the timber and fuel he has purchased before the 15th June 1917.

(*b*) That felling shall be made in a methodical manner from one side leaving out all standard trees marked on the area. All trees cut must be coppiced well.

(*c*) That trees felled shall be dressed on the spot and the outturn of fuel from the branch pieces and from other trees not fit for timber shall be cut and billeted and the same removed and stacked in a spot selected for the purpose by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer. The stacks of fuel built should be rectangular in shape and be of such dimensions that the cubical contents thereof are 68 cubic feet or a multiple thereof; 68 cubic feet being considered as equivalent to one ton.

(*d*) That while removing the white wood, knots and flutes, in dressing the logs, no unnecessary waste should be caused.

(*e*) That he binds himself to pay for and remove all marketable portion of a tree either in logs or in pieces billeted as fuel.

(*f*) That the timber and fuel removed and stacked in the selected spot shall be measured and the logs stamped by the Range Officer or such other officer deputed for the purpose.

(*g*) That all removal shall be effected under pass-ports issued by the Range Officer, which will be done only on presentation of the Treasury receipt for the value of the timber or fuel the purchaser intends to remove.

(*h*) That if any standard tree marked in the area is felled, he will pay a fine not exceeding Rs. 10 per tree.

(*i*) That timber or fuel paid for, but not removed, within one month of the termination of the period of contract, shall lapse to Government, as also the timber or fuel not paid for before the 15th June 1917.

(*j*) That he agrees to abide by the rules of the department as regards kindling of fires and holds himself responsible for any forest offences committed by his agents, employees or workmen.

(*k*) That he agrees to maintain a register in the form prescribed by the District Forest Officer for the purpose showing the number of trees felled and the outturn of timber and fuel resulting therefrom and it will be open to the examination of all Forest Officers above the grade of guards.

(*l*) That no operations should take place in the forest either before sunrise or after sunset.

(*m*) That he agrees to the cancellation of the contract and the forfeiture of his deposit for breach of any of the terms of the contract.

D. RAJA RAO,
District Forest Officer.

CHANNAGIRI RANGE.

PAPLI BARK.

Auction sale Notification dated 15th November 1916.

It is hereby notified for general information that the exclusive right of collecting papli bark on all Government unoccupied lands, plantations and State Forest from 15th December 1916 to 30th June 1917, in the Channagiri Range, will be sold by public auction by the District Forest Officer or the Range Forest Officer concerned on the 9th December 1916 at the Channagiri Range Office. The auction will commence at 2 P.M.